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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-46919 of 2019

Date of decision: May 21, 2020

Jatinder Singh @ Jindi

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Mr. Rajesh Kumar Dadwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG Punjab.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J

Present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for short 'Cr. P.C.') for grant of bail, in FIR No.0145 dated 10.10.2017, under Section 22 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Balachour, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar, Punjab.

It is contended by the learned counsel for the petitioner that co-accused, namely Pardeep Kumar and Amarjit Singh @ Jeeta have already been granted concession of pre-arrest bail as well as regular bail, respectively, but undisputedly the regular bail of the petitioner was declined by the learned trial Court on 03.05.2019, i.e. more than one year. Therefore, it would be appropriate to relegate the petitioner to approach the learned trial Court for seeking regular bail.

Disposed of with observations made herein above. In case, the petitioner moves an application before the learned trial Court for bail, the same shall be decided expeditiously, according to law.

**(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE**

May 21, 2020

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No